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National Food Security Mission
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the total funds allocated and released to Maharashtra by the Government during the financial year under the National Food Security Mission;

(b) the targets proposed to be achieved in Maharashtra under the scheme during the financial year 2015-16;

(c) the amount utilised by the State Government of Maharashtra out of the funds released during the financial year 2015-16; and

(d) the details of the mechanism available with the Government to ensure the utilisation of funds for the desired purpose?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

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(a): The Government of India allocated an amount of Rs. 125.02 crore as central share to the state of Maharashtra for implementation of National Food Security Mission-Rice, Wheat, Pulses, Coarse Cereals and Commercial Crops during 2015-16. The expenditure under NFSM is shared on 60:40 basis between Centre & State Government.

(b) & (c): The Government of India approves targets for various approved interventions in annual action plan of the state. The allocation, release & expenditure of central share under NFSM during 2015-16 is as under;

(Rs. In Crore)

Year	Allocation	Release	Expenditure	% Expenditure
2015-16	125.02	111.64	105.94	94.89

(d): To ensure utilization of funds for the desired purpose and for the effective implementation of the programme the monitoring mechanism is as follows;

i. At District level there is District Food Security Mission Executive Committee (DFSMEC) under the chairmanship of District Collector and District Superintending Officer as Secretary of this committee.

ii. At State level there is State Food Security Mission Executive Committee (SFSMEC) under the chairmanship of Chief Secretary of the state.

iii. National Level Monitoring Team (NALMOT) under the chairmanship of Director, Directorate of Cotton Development, Nagpur is constituted to monitor the field implementation of the NFSM.

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